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In re application of:

Andrew J. Boeckle et al.

Application No.: 10/609,132

Filed: June 26, 2003

Group No.: 3721

Examiner: HUYNH, Louis K.

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) /(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, for the above identified application.

TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

- 2. This request is being submitted:
 - Prior to abandonment of the application

FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)).

3. This application is on behalf of other than small entity.

Continued Prosecution Request Fee:

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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Total additional fee required is \$0.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(3), for three months:

Fee: \$1,020.00

TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

6. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e)) Fee(s) for additional claims (Section 1.16(b)-(d)) Extension of time fee (Section 1.17(a)(1)-(3))	\$790.00 \$0.00 \$1,020.00		
Total Fee(s) Due:	\$1,810.00		

PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

7. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

Charge Account 500348 the sum of \$1,810.00.

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